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9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
10 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
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12 DR. THOMAS YAMASHITA, an individual;
13 SUNBURST PLANT DISEASE CLINIC,
INC., a California Corporation,

14 Plaintiffs,

15 v.

16 WILBUR ELLIS COMPANY, a California
17 Corporation; HUGHSON CHEMICAL
18 COMPANY, LLC, a California Limited
Liability Company,

19 Defendants.
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Case No. C 06-01690 WHA

**~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER GRANTING
WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY'S
MOTION TO SHORTEN TIME FOR
THE HEARING ON WILBUR-ELLIS
COMPANY'S MOTIONS FOR
SANCTIONS PURSUANT TO
F.R.C.P. 37(B)(2) AND TO STRIKE
PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO STRIKE
DECLARATION OF DR. ARNOLD J.
BLOOM**

Before the Court is Wilbur-Ellis Company's Motion To Shorten Time For The Hearing On Wilbur-Ellis Company's Motions For Sanctions Pursuant To F.R.C.P. 37(B)(2) And To Strike Plaintiffs' Motion To Strike Declaration Of Dr. Arnold J. Bloom.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Wilbur-Ellis Company's Motion To Shorten Time For The Hearing On Wilbur-Ellis Company's Motions For Sanctions Pursuant To F.R.C.P. 37(B)(2) And To Strike Plaintiffs' Motion To Strike Declaration Of Dr. Arnold J. Bloom is GRANTED.

FURTHER ORDERED that the hearing date will be May 10, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. and the briefing schedule will be as follows:

May 5, 2006 Plaintiffs' Opposition to Wilbur-Ellis' Motions for Sanctions and to Strike.

May 8, 2006 Wilbur-Ellis' optional Reply in support of its Motions for Sanctions and to Strike is due.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 8, 2006, 2006



Honorable William Alsup
United States District Court Judge